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Local and Personal News.

B. S. James was on the sick list the latter part of last week and the first of this week.

R. O. Martin, of Naylor, was here the first of the week looking after business matters.

Mrs. J. C. Sheppard came over from the bluff yesterday morning to spend a day or so visiting.

Howard McKinney is here this week on a visit to his mother, who lives a few miles west of town.

Prof's. B. Harry and C. W. Martin, returned from their hunting trip up near Hunter, last Saturday.

J. P. Campbell left yesterday noon for Booneville where he goes to attend the monthly board meeting of the reform school.

A box supper was held at Lone Star school house last Saturday night. Several from town attended. Miss Ida Casteel is the teacher.

J. A. Ponder came over from Neelyville Saturday where he had been running the drug store for his son, J. I., while he was off for a few days on a hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crosson, the first of the week, moved from the cottage east of the Grand Avenue Hotel, to their farm near Fairdealing in the eastern part of the county.

Dr. C. A. Ponder returned last Saturday from Neelyville where he and a party of gentlemen had been on a hunt for the past week. They had very good luck, killing three deer and other small game.

Homer N. Miles returned last Saturday from a trip over in Illinois where he had been to get an automobile for Joe M. Wright, cashier of the Doniphan State bank. The machine broke down on the way and he shipped it by freight and came home by rail.

Chas. G. Hancock, Louis Hoerber and Carl Lang who came down from St. Louis last Thursday to spend several days here visiting and hunting, returned to their homes last Tuesday. They had good success in the hunting venture and killed quite a lot of game.

Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Shemwell returned home last Friday evening. Mrs. Shemwell had been at Fair Play, Mo., visiting relatives and K. K. had been out in Kansas and Nebraska looking after business matters. He says they had good crops all through that country and that business was good.

Presiding Judge Jas. K. Langford, of the county court, returned home last Sunday evening from a trip of several days in Southern Illinois, looking after business matters. Mr. Langford says that everywhere he went that he found business to be flourishing and that everyone in "Egypt" seemed to be exceedingly busy.

Homer N. Miles, the light man, is having a franchise drawn up to present to the city council, in the near future, for a light franchise, to light the entire city. If the council accepts the franchise it will be put to a vote of the people for ratification and if it should carry, Mr. Miles will put in a large plant so that everybody can have lights in their homes in the city limits.

Prosecuting Attorney Chas. L. Ferguson, Attorney's Jas. F. Fulbright and Geo. D. Sloan, Editor J. P. Campbell, of the Prospect News, and Postmaster W. O. Murray, went over to Cape Girardeau last Sunday in order to be present at a meeting held there Monday for the purpose of organizing a Democratic Club for Southwest Missouri. They report a very successful meeting. Mr. Ferguson was elected secretary of the club. They returned home Tuesday.

L. A. Atkins went up to Kansas City last week on a business trip.

C. M. Elliot, of Oxy, was here the first of the week looking after business matters.

Charlie Fowler of East Locust street, is laid up this week with an attack of lagrippe.

Herman Borth was down at Naylor the latter part of last week looking after business matters.

A. E. Richmond went up to Elinora last Friday to spend a day or so looking after business matters.

Miss Mary Wright left the first of the week for Springfield, where she goes to take a business course.

Mrs. D. A. Lee left the first of this week for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Caldwell, at West Plains, Mo.

John Richmond, of Hunter, was here the latter part of last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Richmond. He returned home Friday.

Garrison & Newkirk are this week having the exterior of their store room remodeled and painted and fixed up in first class shape. Low Hicks is doing the work.

A carnival company came in the first of the week and have pitched their tents near the city hall and are holding shows each night for the remainder of the week.

John Conley, who has been a familiar figure around town for the past several months went down into Arkansas the first of the week to work for a mill company.

J. T. Slayton informed us this morning that 55 years ago today he weighed exactly 3 pounds and today he weighed 145. He has evidently grown a little bit.

The light plant will run in the early morning hours from today on until the days get longer to give stores and others who use electric lights the benefit of them in the morning.

David M. Robertson who has been here for the past two weeks visiting his parents south of town a few miles, left Sunday for Arizona where he has a position with the Government.

Gus Aersback and family, who are here from Denver, Colorado, on a visit to friends and relatives, went down to Hot Springs, Ark., Monday to spend a few days looking at the country.

E. T. Shroat and family left Wednesday of this week for East St. Louis, Ill., where they will make their future home. Mr. Shroat has accepted a position at the National Stock Yards.

Ex-Judge Jim Stanley, of the west side was in town this week and said he had just finished sowing 55 acres of wheat the last day of November. He says that in his opinion all the very early sown wheat will be damaged by the Hessian fly, and from all appearances he is about right.

County collector G. S. Limes, has been quite sick this week, at his home two and a half miles east of town, with an attack of bladder trouble. His deputy, Mrs. Lula White has been in charge of the collectors office during Mr. Limes absence. His many friends hope he will soon recover and be able to be about again.

Burford & Cox, who for the past year have been running the old Doniphan Lbr. Co., planer mill here, and a small saw mill across the river, have erected a mill adjacent to the planer sheds, and are engaged in sawing. They report a large demand for certain kinds of material, such as car timber and are paying fancy prices for white oak.

The Limes sawmill on the old mill site, at the river, are receiving oak logs by rail, as well as buying locally. It is reported that the mill will soon move to Pulaski, four miles east of Doniphan, on the branch road, as they have purchased a large body of hardwood timber near there that has never been cut over, and will convert it into car and wagon material of which there is a large demand.

Several loads of dirt and gravel have been dumped in front of post office this week by the city street force.

H. V. Richmond has accepted a position with Station Agent Tanner, at the depot. He went to work last Sunday.

Mr. E. M. Kelly, of the east part of town, went over to Cape Girardeau last Friday to visit her mother for a few days.

Mrs. J. R. Wright left the first of the week for Columbia, Miss., where she goes to visit her daughter and family. Mrs. Sam Lawrence.

Mr. G. S. Green and Mrs. M. McNew, of Naylor spent a day or two here last week visiting at the home of their brother, Recorder John W. Young and family.

Jim Lovelace and family returned home the latter part of last week from Des Aro, Mo., where they had been to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lovelace's mother.

John Votaw died at his home in this city last Tuesday night of stomach trouble and was buried in Oak Ridge Cemetery Wednesday. He leaves a wife and several children.

C. P. White and wife who about a month ago went up to Hunter to make their home with their son-in-law, for the winter, returned here the first of this week and will again make this city their home.

W. W. Johnson, R. E. Lee, C. O. Booker, E. S. Williams and others who went over to the extreme western side of the county on a hunting trip returned last Friday evening. While they got no deer or other big game, they say they saw two very fine bucks but both were out of range. They killed quite a lot of small game.

Tom Kirby and Miss May Cline of the Ponder neighborhood, in the west part of the county, were married last Saturday morning at the Catholic church in this city, by Rev. Hureik, pastor of the church. The groom is a son of the late Pat Kirby and is a well known young farmer of that part of the county. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cline and a niece of Acel Cline, of this city. Both are highly respected young people and have many friends who will wish them well in their married life.

Two games of basket ball were played at Athletic park last Thursday afternoon, one between two girl teams of this city, and the other game between a team of young men from Grandin and a team of this city. The Grandin boys lost the game by a score of 24 to 21. Both games were well played and were quite interesting throughout. The gate receipts amounted to about \$15. The local team went up to Grandin Saturday and played a game there Saturday evening, the Grandin team winning the game. The boys report a good time while at Grandin.

The Bazaar and Chicken Pie Dinner held yesterday by the Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church, in the room formerly occupied by the Raack store, was a decided success. About all of the articles offered for sale were disposed of, and many people partook of the dinner, offered, and an oyster stew was served in the evening. The receipts were \$25.30 and the expenses \$4.55, leaving \$20.75 above all expenses, and the ladies in charge desire to thank the public and those who contributed to the sale for their patronage and help.

A sample of early sown wheat from this county, was recently sent to the U. S. Entomologist station at Charleston, Mo., for examination by the station director, to ascertain if it was infested by Hessian fly. The director reported that it was badly infested with the fly in the flag-rod stage, and would greatly reduce the yield next year. He stated that plowing the field up now would not kill the fly, as the eggs would hatch out in the spring and infect other wheat, but if ground was broken now and reseeded the crop next year would not be injured, but the fly would still be in the field, and ready to infect the wheat sowed before frost next year. The director of the station gave October 20 as the earliest date to sow in this locality and avoid infection from the fly.

Quarterly Conference at M. E. Church.

Rev. J. E. Martin, presiding elder of this conference district, will be in Doniphan next Sunday, December 5th, and will hold quarterly conference at the Methodist church that morning at 9:30.

Rev. Martin will preach to the congregation at the evening services. The pastor, J. W. Wornop, will conduct the morning services. All members and the public are invited to be present at the services.

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Thanksgiving Services.

The union Thanksgiving service that was to have been held last Thursday night, at the high school auditorium, and was postponed on account of the weather until Sunday night, was held at the auditorium and the services were very impressive and showed the spirit for which they were being held.

Not all that were on the program were present, but those who were took part in the services. The choir was made up of members of the different churches and the singing was good. Miss Jessie Martin sang a solo in a pleasing manner. Rev. J. W. Wornop delivered the sermon and a good one it was.

After the preaching, W. W. Martin, who acted in the place of T. L. Wright, president of the Charity board, who was sick, asked for pledges for the benefit of the poor of the town and quite a neat sum was given, \$85.00, while all the business men of the town and others who usually give to the charity fund were not present, they still have the opportunity to give by calling on W. W. Gary, cashier of the Citizens Bank, who is treasurer of the charity board.

A good sized crowd was present, in fact, very few vacant seats could be found.

Winners Of Corn Contest.

The corn contest that was inaugurated by the Doniphan State Bank some time ago was closed last Saturday, as was announced, and the prizes awarded. While there was not as many entries as there should have been, as the bank was giving the prizes individually, and it cost nothing to enter the contest. Those who entered and won prizes were:

Carl McCauley, 1st. \$10.00
R. Simmons, 2nd. 5.00
G. R. Rindel, 3rd. 2.50
S. H. Gomer, 4th and 5th, each. . . 1.00
A. G. Paul, 6th.50

The judges were selected by the contestants, they were Mike Heingler and B. G. Barton, both leading farmers of the county.

The full amount of the prizes offered and awarded was \$30.

Naylor Items.

Weather fine but a little cool.

Elmer Yeohum has returned from North Missouri where he has been for about two months.

John Hunt, who got his leg broke by a mule kick some time ago, is able to walk on crutches at present.

The Baptist Young Peoples Union gave a free Thanksgiving supper Thursday night.

Mrs. Stella Mitchell went to Purman to spend Thanksgiving with her husband who was holding a meeting at New Hope church.

Dr. Joe Atwood, a Chiropractic doctor, of Pittsburg, Kansas, is here visiting his father and brother for a few days and treating a few cases.

Mrs. Henry Bailey and Miss Ethel Hunt went to Poplar Bluff Saturday night and were married, returning home Sunday on the 10 o'clock train.

Cleve Woodward, one and a half miles northeast of town, is preparing to move to Oklahoma.

Since the heavy rain Thursday night they have begun cutting on the new dredge ditch.

Mr. Gaper is some better at this writing.

Mrs. Grace Hayes who is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. York, is on the sick list.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Special report to Ripley County Democrat National Stock Yards, Ill., Nov. 30th. Hog receipts 9500. The market opened strong to be higher this morning on choice, strong weight swine with a top of \$6.90 with lighter weights selling at steady prices. After shipper and butchers had finished their orders, packers then forced a 15 to 25c break and would not bid over \$6.60 for choice, good weight hogs, that were worth \$6.65 in the early market. The bulk of the good hogs weighing 160 lbs up sold to shippers and city butchers at \$6.50 to \$6.55; pigs 120 to 140 lbs at \$6.75 to \$6.75; lighter pigs 35 to 55 lbs with rough hogs at \$6 to \$6.25. On the later market packers bought their hogs at \$6.25 to \$6.60 and the bulk cost them less than \$6.60.

Cattle receipts 6,500. The feeling in the beef steer trade was not near as keen as yesterday with sales a shade lower than Monday, but about steady with last weeks close. The market for butcher cattle continues active and strong at an advance of 10 to 15c for the week.

Sheep receipts 4000. This trade was about steady for all grades. The best lambs sold at \$3; fa. sheep \$5.75; chop-pers and bucks \$4.50 to \$4.75 with can-not sheep at \$3 to \$3.40.

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Good Shoes 98c & \$1.39	25c dress goods yd 10c
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Fine long pant suits for young men \$4.95	Wool Sox, pair 15c
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\$3.00 Hats \$1.95	Hundreds and hundreds of remnants now on sale.
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